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SUBJECT: REPORTED UPRISING IN CAPE VERDE

REFS: (A) LISBON 7450 (DTG 151659Z DEC 75), (B) LISBON 7466
(DTG 161605Z DEC 75)

1. EMBASSY EMPLOYEE OF CAPE VERDEAN ORIGIN HAS BEEN CONTACTED
BY RELATIVE, RECENTLY ARRIVED FROM REPUBLIC OF CAPE VERDE, WHO
REPORTS THAT ANTI-PAIGC UPRISING DID OCCUR THERE ON DECEMBER 13.
TWELVE PERSONS WERE REPORTEDLY KILLED ON ISLAND OF SAO VICENTE
AND EIGHT ON ISLAND OF PRAIA. SOURCE DID NOT KNOW WHETHER UPRISING S
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CONTINUING.

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2. COMMENT: IT IS CONCEIVABLE THAT GOVERNMENT OF CAPE VERDE WISHES TO QUIET NEWS REPORTS OF INTERNAL OPPOSITION TO THE PAIGC. IT MAY BE THAT THE SOUTH AFRICAN AIRWAYS REPRESENTATIVE, STATIONED ON THE ISLAND OF SAL, EITHER WAS NOT AWARE OF THE REVOLT OR DID NOT BELIEVE IT POLITIC TO REPORT THROUGH OPEN COMMUNICATIONS CHANNELS (REF B). IN VIEW OF THE SEVERAL REPORTS RECEIVED BY THE EMBASSY EMPLOYEE, WHO HAS A LONG RECORD OF RELIABLE SERVICE AND MANY FRIENDS IN CAPE VERDEAN COMMUNITY, IT SEEMS PROBABLE THAT SOME KIND OF CIVIL DISTURBANCE HAS OCCURRED IN CAPE VERDE. EMBASSY IS CONTINUING ITS EFFORTS TO OBTAIN ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.
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